

**Table I-6.**  
**Occupational Characteristics, 1999**  
**Northern Virginia Region**

Occupational Category	Employed	Distribution
	Persons	
Manager, Administrative, Executiv	245,371	23.9%
Professional Specialty	216,625	21.1%
Technical	50,306	4.9%
Administrative Support	168,372	16.4%
Service	97,533	9.5%
Sales	111,906	10.9%
Precision Production, Craftsmen	78,026	7.6%
Operatives, Fabricators, Laborers	50,306	4.9%
Farming, Forestry, Fishery	8,213	0.8%
Total	1,026,658	100.0%

*Source: Loudoun County Department of Economic Development.*